STANDARD WHEEL ORDERS

MIDSHIPS rudder to be held in the fore and aft position

PORT FIVE 5 degrees of port rudder to be held

STARBOARD TEN 10 degrees of starboard rudder to be held

STARBOARD FIFTEEN 15 degrees of starboard rudder to be held

HARD-A-PORT rudder to be held fully over to port

MEET HER check the swing of the vessel's head in a turn

STEADY reduce swing as rapidly as possible

EASE TO TEN reduce amount of rudder to 10 degrees and hold

STEADY AS SHE GOES steer a steady course on the compass heading indicated at the time of the order

NOTHING TO STARBOARD avoid allowing the vessel's head to go to starboard

